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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>00-106</b>	
Applicant(s): <b>MUELLER et al.</b>				AUG 04 2004	
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Invention:  
**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DYNAMIC RULE AND/OR OFFER GENERATION**

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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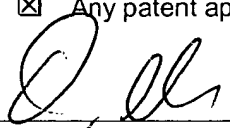
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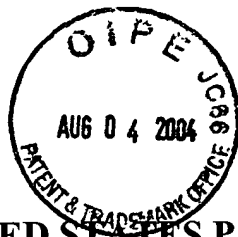
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2004 (Paper No. 13)

Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2004, (Paper No. 13), entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks into the above identified application are respectfully requested.

This document is being filed by the Applicants' representative on behalf of the present Applicants for patent. Accordingly, references to "we", "us" "our" and the like all indicate the present Applicants for patent. References to "you", "your" and the like all indicate the present Examiner.